

Why! Children, How are You?



HERE I AM AGAIN, THE SAME
OLD SANTA CLAUS.

I WILL THIS HOLIDAY SEASON MAKE
MY HEADQUARTERS AT

THE PIONEER DRUG STORE,

Opposite Landon Hotel.

We will be pleased to show you the choicest line, the best selected and cheapest Stock of **Toys, Books, Novelties, Fancy Goods**, in San Angelo, suitable for presents for old and young.



The immense stock of **Holiday Novelties**, we show are entirely NEW—this season's goods—all fresh and clean, and specially selected to please our friends and customers, in quality and price. We have a line of goods you want and sell them at **Lowest Prices for Cash**.

The Greatest Variety to Select From.

Come in and see the display, you are welcome whether you buy or not. New goods will be received until Christmas. **SPECIAL FAVORS TO SUNDAY SCHOOLS.** Don't forget the place.

THE PIONEER DRUG STORE,

OPPOSITE LANDON HOTEL.

WANTED.—A widower, not a rich man, wants a white woman to take care of his four children and do general house work. Only those who can furnish good references need apply. Address Widower in care of The Press.

The C. & G. Hagelstein Co have sold this week Aermotor wind mills to Willis Johnson and T. J. Motley at Miles. Eclipse wind mills to Mott Sutherland at Stiles and Geo. Sutherland at Sterling, and have several other deals on foot at present.

SAUSAGE AT McWHORTER'S McWhorter & Son make a specialty of sausage making, a trial order will convince you it is the best made. Phone 190.

Austin Spencer sold this week two lots in the Spencer addition to J. B. Carter and one to A. J. Arnold who will erect a residence at once.

The Leader windmill. Best wood wheel for least money. E. L. McAlpine.

The grand jury has investigated the case of H. A. Lingroth who has been lying in jail since Nov. 3 on the charge of embezzlement from the Santa Fe railroad to the tune of about \$1600 and found against him a true bill for the same. From information obtained it is the opinion of many that he is not in his right mind and responsible for his actions.

A sack of nice Pecans wouldn't be a bad present to express to your relatives or friends. We are prepared to put them up in the right way as we handle more than 1/2 of the pecans that are brought to this market.

Taylor & Johnson.

A. J. Fritz, the pioneer contractor is building a five room residence on Harris Avenue and from present indications will have it shortly completed.

The Grant Lumber Co. carry the stock—all kinds and want your business—call and see us our prices will suit.

A Few Delicacies

Malaga Grapes, Dates, fresh Candies, Blanche's goods; Cranberries, Apples, Oranges, Raisins, Celery, Pig's feet, Heinz's dry pack Kraut, Catsup, Sweet Pickles, Key Pickles, Mince Meat, Apple Butter, Olives, Prepared Mustard, Pickled Onions.

Roach & Keeton.

J. R. GILBERT & CO.

Carry a complete line of canned goods, preserves, new molasses, new line evaporated fruits, pickles, sauces and extracts, also queensware and kitchen rackets.

Hacks, Hacks at Hagelstein's.

Soup, Soup, Soup.

We have the following varieties of Anderson's Concentrated Soups in 1lb cans, Tomato, Tomato Okra, Mock Turtle, Ox tail, vegetable, Puree of Bean, Puree of Lentil, Puree of Pea, Bonillon, Chicken, Chicken Gumbo, Consomme, Beef, Cream of Celery, Cream of Potato, Clam Chowder, Bisque of Oyster, Mulligatawny and Cream of Asparagus. If you will add 1 1/2 pints boiling water to the contents of one of these cans you will have enough soup to supply a family of 6. Taylor & Johnson.

Hill for Congress.

In naming a man for congress there could not be a better man than Judge Hill and we know of no one more suited for the office. Judge Hill would be a credit to this Congressional district, and is just the sort of man to please most everybody, since he is affable, easy to approach, has well disciplined mind, capable of seeing that there are two sides to every question and at the same time a man who makes and retains friends wherever he goes, consequently there is no doubt but what Judge Hill would just fill the bill and make a Congressman that the boys would swear by.

LARD AT McWHORTER'S.

Pure home rendered leaf lard, the finest article on the San Angelo market, give McWhorter & Son a trial order, it will please you. Phone 190.

The school committee are a trifle slow, it does look reasonable to suppose that twelve reliable, representative business men could manage to get together and do something for better school accommodations, let us have a report either for or against, if nothing can be done we might as well realize the fact at once.

FIRE WORKS AT J. H. SMITH & CO.

Fire crackers 5c and 10c, Roman candles 5c, 10c and 15c, Sky rockets 5c, 10c and 15c, Torpedos 1c to 10c, Whistling bombs 1c to 10c. New novelties in fire works and every thing the boys can wish for. J. H. Smith & Co.

Mrs. J. T. Jones and her four daughters have returned from Bisbee, Arizona, where Mr. Jones is running a large blacksmith and carriage shop. Mrs. Jones found it necessary to return to San Angelo on account of her health and it is her opinion that there is no place like the Concho Valley for health.

Most of the heavy wagon loads of Groceries, Grain, Salt and Ranch supplies you see leaving town are from Taylor & Johnson's. Low prices and good goods are what they catch their orders with.

H. C. McDaniel is erecting a neat little cottage on his new lot adjoining Fred Gerber's and when completed it will be quite an addition to the appearance of things on First street.

If you want cheap fire insurance see Huffman & Clark. They work for a home company, located at San Antonio, the Home Protective Fire Insurance Co., and can give you satisfactory rates.

Capt. Johnson, of the Salvation Army, returned Tuesday morning from Kansas City, from a trip of carrying a boy to the Rescue Home located near Kansas City.

Ribbon cane molasses at Henry Short's, just like you got there last winter. This is pure and that's no joke.

Do you want a kitchen sink call on E. L. McAlpine.

Mr. J. S. Miles has just returned from a trip to Knickerbocker where he was called to take charge of Mrs. J. T. Garrett's funeral.

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Baker Perfect wire at Findlater's.

Miss Lizzie Jones and Miss Covert, from Christoval, were in town Wednesday trading and meeting their many friends.

The Grant Lumber Co. have the stock and want a chance to figure on all bills no matter how small.

Buck and Darling cook stoves at Hagelstein's.

Wm. Beck, Jim Beck and Wm. Peck, all from Knickerbocker were in town Monday trading.

Take your Pecans to H. H. Sigman & Co.

Just received at Findlater's Baker Perfect wire.

Lucian Barham is now with John D. Robertson, Jr. and will be pleased to have all his friends make him a call.

For bath tubs see E. L. McAlpine.

Just received at Findlater's Baker Perfect wire.

J. D. Rawls, the grain man, is the place to buy your corn, hay, bran, oats, etc.

Capt. Dooley, the genial conductor, had the misfortune to get a cinder in his eye, but Dr. Magruder fortunately got it out and he will soon be all right again.

Smoke "Courier Journal," the best 5c cigar in the town.

Taylor & Johnson.

Point lace, handkerchiefs, Battenburg pieces, Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Press is in receipt of an invitation to the recital by the pupils of Miss Daniel's at Prof. Finger's Music hall which is to be held tonight. To all lovers of music this is a rare treat.

The C. & G. Hagelstein Co have two cars of drilling machines on the road, which they have rigged so as they can be run either by horse power, steam or gasoline and parties needing such machines would do well to call and investigate.

Monarch and Sunlight axle grease, best and cheapest at J. R. Gilbert & Co.

Capt. Ed Duggan, San Angelo's delegate to the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting at Houston, returned Saturday morning and reports that it was a very interesting meeting and he had lots of Masonic news to tell his brother masons as the result of his trip.

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There is going to be a Christmas Carnival at Ozona and Claud Hudspeth the secretary promises four days of royal sport. Of course Ozona is one of the cow boys favorite resorts, so they will no doubt have a pretty warm time. It starts Dec. 23 with Nigger Minstrels, Dec. 24 there is to be a Union Christmas tree at the school house and there will probably be some queer presents given the boys. The cattle roping comes off Christmas day, for three purses of \$100, \$50 and \$25, which is to be repeated the following day. There is also to be tournament riding for a fine Gallup Saddle, the kind that J. S. Miles sells here in San Angelo. On the last night of the carnival there is to be a grand display of fire works and the boys will be given the opportunity to see the President dining with Booker T. Washington. It will undoubtedly be the biggest round up the old town has had for many a day and there will probably be a great gathering of the boys from the range to meet one another and have a big time.

A TEXAS WONDER.

Hall's Great Discovery.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggists, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

READ THIS

Weatherford, Tex., Oct. 15, 1901. Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis. Dear Sir:—My wife has been affected with kidney and bladder trouble for seventeen years and was confined to her bed for a year, and I tried many physicians without benefit. Two bottles of your Texas Wonder, Hall's Discovery, cured her, and I consider it the grandest medicine on earth. Very respectfully J. C. PILAND.



Good Wines and Cordials.

Are finding greater favor here as a table beverage. Perhaps it is because people are finding out how good our wines are.

And these goods are not at all high priced. At very little expense two or three brands can be kept in the house.

Mellow Blossom

Whiskey and all good brands of wines and whiskeys suitable for CHRISTMAS drinks are in stock, also, and now is the time to supply your larder with these good drink articles.

I keep the best of everything in my line. Phone No. 6.

Arc Light Saloon,

Tom McClosky, Prop.

Magnolia, Empress, and Live Oak High Patent flours are the best brands on the market.

Taylor & Johnson.

Wm. Funk, of Stiles, was in town Wednesday, for a load of supplies and says everything is looking just lovely in West Tom Green—plenty of grass.

Buck and Darling cook stoves at Hagelstein's.

Taylor & Johnson want your pecans from a bucketful to a carload. Highest prices paid.

Geo. W. Adams, E. B. Duncan and L. Hanson, all from Water Valley, were in town last Saturday doing some trading and getting ready for the holidays.

If you want the best groceries, confectioneries, etc., the market affords, in fact everything that is "up to now," in the grocery line—see J. H. Smith & Co.

For Cypress tanks and troughs see E. L. McAlpine.

O. P. Spring, of Water Valley, was in town Monday getting ready to go to Coleman for 100 head of cattle which he lately purchased at about \$12.00 per head for pasture near Water Valley.

Call on Wm. Cameron & Co. for your wire and fence post. A car of Baker Perfect galvanized wire just received.

Nice line of Tobaccos and cigars at J. R. Gilbert & Co.

Buggies, Buggies at Hagelstein's.

John and Baze Arthur came in for a load of lumber last Saturday to carry out to Knickerbocker, where John is building him a new residence of about six rooms.

Own Your Own House

There is no use paying rent, as Milton Carr, the contractor, can furnish you the money, the plans, the specifications and build your house. Phone 140.

Wilkes Martin and John Scott were in town Monday to buy a couple of Hagelstein's Winchester which they saw advertised at \$9.00, so after filling up with plenty of ammunition they were ready for a big Christmas hunt on the Pecos,—we have no objections to having you put The Press name in your game bag.

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Christmas Presents.

The Presbyterian ladies are making their headquarters at the Kent Millinery establishment and the Methodists are at John D. Robertson's, Jr., dry goods house each have a lot of valuable articles which they have made for charitable purposes, so when you make a purchase you are helping out a good cause.

The celebrated Peter Schuttler wagon at Findlater's.